

# **AFEB June 2005**

## **HA UPDATE**

### **INFORMATION BRIEF**



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# Pandemic Preparedness

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- **Antiviral Stockpiling**
- **Enhanced Surveillance**
- **Interagency cooperation**
- **Status of PHEO at installations**



# Antiviral Stockpile

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- **15 million doses of oseltamivir (Tamiflu)**
  - Funding for entire stockpile this FY
  - Contract with Roche
  - Expected delivery August-October 2005
- **Priorities**
  - Prophylaxis for Critical operational forces
  - Prophylaxis for critical healthcare workers
  - Limited treatment capacity for beneficiaries



# Surveillance Issues

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- No additional funding to DoD for increased surveillance efforts
- Enhanced cooperation with CDC-led efforts, esp. in Vietnam, Cambodia, Laos
- NAMRU-2 (Jakarta) and AFRIMS (Bangkok) labs ideally located to support efforts by other USG agencies



# STATUS PHEOs

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- HA requested Services to assess and provide feedback

- Lead Agency within Service
- Service Directive(s)
- Number and Specialty of PHEOs
- Percent of Installations with finalized Response Plans
- Exercise completed
- Harmonization with local, state and regional civilian leaders
- Recommendation for PHEO training
- Recommendation Training for Commanders